

Northern California Conservation Planning Partners



Habitat Conservation Planning From Tahoe to the Bay

Seventh Annual Workshop

Wednesday November 18th 2009

8:30 am to 3:45 pm

Ulatis Community Center, 1000 Ulatis Dr, Vacaville

Workshop Program and Registration Form

County and sub-county scale Habitat Conservation Plans and Natural Community Conservation Plans are in preparation or being implemented in a number of counties in the San Francisco Bay Area and the Sacramento Region. These plans provide a means for the conservation of endangered species and contribute to their recovery, while allowing appropriate, compatible growth and development in the metropolitan areas.

This workshop will provide essential information, ideas and discussion opportunities for the wide range of stakeholders and local officials involved in development of a regional conservation plan, and for all citizens who are concerned about these issues.

We hope you will join us on November 18th

The Northern California Conservation Planning Partners



**East Contra Costa County HCP / NCCP
Placer County Conservation Plan
San Joaquin County HCP
Santa Clara Valley HCP / NCCP
Solano HCP
South Sacramento HCP
Yolo Natural Heritage Program
Yuba-Sutter HCP / NCCP
Coordinator: Institute for Ecological Health**

Program

8:30 **Registration and Refreshments**

9:00 **Welcome**

9:10 **Essentials of Regional Conservation Planning in Northern California**

John Hopkins, Institute for Ecological Health

9:30 **Bay Delta Conservation Plan Connections With County HCPs and NCCPs**

Kim Delfino, Defenders of Wildlife

Carl Wilcox, California Department of Fish and Game

Maria Wong, Yolo Natural Heritage Program JPA

10:35 **Break**

10:55 **Farming and Conservation Plans**

(A) Eight Years of Experience With the San Joaquin County HCP

Mario Jacques, San Joaquin County Farmer

(B) Yolo Natural Heritage Program's Novel Approach

Dan Airola, Airola Environmental Consulting

David Sunding, Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, UC Berkeley

12:00 **First Annual NCCPP Awards**

12:10 **Lunch and Networking**

01:10 **Climate Change and Conservation Planning**

Marc Hoshovsky, California Department of Water Resources

Brenda Johnson, California Department of Fish and Game

Mark Kramer, The Nature Conservancy of California

02:10 **Break**

02:30 **The East Contra Costa HCP/NCCP. Lessons From Two Years of Implementation**

Leigh Chavez, Contra Costa County Public Works Department

Jim Gwerder, Citizens' Land Alliance, invited

John Kopchik, East Contra Costa County Habitat Conservancy

Sheila Larsen, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

David Zippin, ICF - Jones and Stokes

03:30 **Wrap Up**

John Hopkins, Institute for Ecological Health

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Directions to the Ulatis Community Center

1000 Ulatis Drive, Vacaville

Take I-80 to Vacaville

From Sacramento (Westbound)

Exit I- 80 at Monte Vista Avenue/Allison Drive exit.
Keep to your left.
At the stop light turn left onto Monte Vista Ave.
Turn left at the next traffic light onto Allison Drive (you will go over the freeway).
Turn left onto Ulatis Drive. Community Center on right.

From Bay Area (Eastbound)

Exit I- 80 at Monte Vista Avenue / Allison Drive / Nut Tree Parkway.
Turn right at the traffic light onto Allison Drive.
Turn left onto Ulatis Drive (at the stop light).
The Ulatis Community Center is on the right

REGISTRATION FORM

(November 11th deadline)

Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

☐ Please do NOT include my address & E-mail on the participants' list that will be in the workshop materials.

Registration Fee: \$40 (includes lunch), check payable to IEH (Institute for Ecological Health) [Sorry but we do not take credit cards]

Late Registration, if received after November 11th: \$50

Mail to: HCP Workshop, c/o IEH, 409 Jardin Place, Davis, CA 95616

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